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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ZETLAND LODGE, No. 525.

AN EMERGENCY MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the Freemasons' Hall, 10th July, 1894, at 8 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brothers are cordially invited. Hongkong, 18th July, 1894. 11875

AUSTRALIAN BUTTER WOOD'S CELEBRATED COW BRAND VICTORIAN BUTTER ADLINGTON & Co. Sole Agents. Hongkong, (China and Japan). 18th July, 1894. 11874

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.

Illustrated London News Summer Number. A Modern Business, by Ed. Billewicz. London in 1884. All telegraph codes. Badminton Yearling, Vols. I. and II. Elements of Metaphysics, by Dr. Paul Deussen. Evolution of Modern Capitalism. The Religion of the Son of Man. The Tower Bridge: History and Construction. The Miniature Atlas of the World. A Study in Sculpture, by Conan Doyle. Miss Clarke, by Conan Doyle. The Refugees, by Conan Doyle. Academy Pictures. White's Manual of Naval Architecture. Kemp's Handbook of Electrical Testing. The Worlds of Space, by Gore. Manual of Customs Practices at Shanghai. New French Novels.

KELLY & WALSH, LD. 121 FOR SHANGHAI, CHEFOO, AND NEWCHOWANG.

THE "NANTANG." Captain F. Schults will be dispatched for the above ports on FRIDAY, the 18th inst., at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSEN & Co. Hongkong, 17th July, 1894. 11871

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA.

THE Company's Steamship

"WINGSING." Captain D.A. de St. Croix, will be dispatched as above TO-MORROW, the 19th inst., at noon, and as previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. General Managers. Hongkong, 17th July, 1894. 11873

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AHOY, AND POOHOOW.

THE Company's Steamship

"HATIAN." Captain Hodgins will be dispatched for the above ports on FRIDAY, the 20th inst., at noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP & Co. General Managers. Hongkong, 18th July, 1894. 11876

"GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS FROM LONDON PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship

"GLENORCHY" having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

Optional cargo will be forwarded under notice to the contrary be given before 1 p.m. TO-DAY. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 24th inst. will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 31st inst., otherwise they will not be recognised.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Agents. Hongkong, 17th July, 1894. 11872

FOR THE MAIL.

THE HONGKONG WEEKLY PRESS will be ready TO-MORROW and will contain—

A Refrain for the 11 Family. The Indian Currency Association's Manifesto. Home to House Sanitary Visitation. The Situation in Korea. The Postal Service at the Treaty Ports. The Ocken Ferry Postal Rates. Prisoners in Private Gowns. The Plague. Reviews. Supreme Court. Auction on the Treasury. Dr. Kitato on the Plague Scylla. Occasional Notes. Correspondence. Local and District News. General Intelligence. Subscription \$12 per Annum, payable in advance; postage \$1.

In order to prevent Disappointment, Orders for Extra Copies should be sent To-day. Extra copies 25 cents each, Cash. Hongkong, 18th July, 1894.

HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, Custom House, Amoy, 2nd July, 1894.

AMOI PILOTAGE SERVICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that a VACANCY EXISTS in the Harbour Pilotage Service of this Port, and that in accordance with General Regulation IV, an EXAMINATION OF CANDIDATES will be held by the Board of Appointment in the Harbour Master's Office on MONDAY, the 20th July, at 10 a.m.

B. TRANNACK, Harbour Master.

Approved, JAMES W. O'NEILL, Acting Comptroller of Customs. 11839

INTIMATIONS

NOTICE

A SPECIAL SESSIONS of HER MAJESTY'S JUSTICES of the PEACE will be held in the Court Room, at the Magistrate's Office, at 11 o'clock in the Forenoon of MONDAY, the 23rd day of JULY, A.D. 1894, for the purpose of considering an application from one L. F. WADA to be allowed to remove the Licence issued to the premises known as THE VICTORIA HOTEL, situate at house No. 27, Praya Central, and 61, Queen's Road Central, to the premises situate at house No. 9, Queen's Road Central, under the sign of THE NEW VICTORIA HOTEL.

H. B. WOODHOUSE, Police Magistrate.

EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF THE UNITED STATES.

LONDON OFFICE—81, CHAPMAN ST. E.C.

Assets over £25,000,000. Surplus exceeds £700,000.

This Society originated the Ten-Year System of Life Assurance, under which the premiums paid form a lucrative investment and not as expense, affording provision for old age as well as immediate family provision in the event of death.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY. LOW PREMIUMS. LARGE PROFITS. ANNUITIES GRANTED ON MOST FAVOURABLE TERMS.

Before assuming elsewhere, read for Prospects and Illustrative Pamphlets.

SHERMAN & Co. General Agents. Hongkong, 20th June, 1894. 11803

NOTICE

MAN LOONG (馬龍) has always for Sale all kinds of PRESERVED and GINGER and SWEETENED FRUITS of their well-known Manufacture.

Head Office: HONGKONG, Canton. Hongkong Office: No. 376, Queen's Road Central.

Managers—(1) LEUNG YU SANG, (2) WONG HOI CHOW. Hongkong, 9th January, 1894. 111323

VICTORIA HOTEL.

THIS HOTEL will be CLOSED for Board and Lodging on MONDAY, the 10th inst., but the BAR and BILLIARD ROOM will remain OPEN until FURTHER NOTICE.

Wm. FARMER, Manager. Hongkong, 16th July, 1894. 11830

CUTLER, PALMER & CO.

Have been Shippers to China for nearly 75 years. Their Brands are favourably known all over the World.

This ancient House consigns to its trade well-known very old, and

AI QUALITY COGNAC. Distinguished by 4 Stars on the label. Price \$23.75 per 1 dozen bottles.

SUPERIOR OLD COGNAC. Distinguished by 3 Stars on the label. Price \$22.00 per 1 dozen bottles.

VERY GOOD COGNAC. Distinguished by 2 Stars on the label. Price \$17.50 per 1 dozen bottles.

"FALL MALL" WHISKY. Eleven years old, very fine quality. Each bottle bears an analysis certificate. The quality is guaranteed. Price \$21.00 per 1 dozen bottles.

Well-matured HIGHLAND MALT WHISKY. Blended by Cutler, Palmer & Co. Moderate price. Price \$15.50 per 1 dozen bottles.

BRODIE & CO.'S FINE SCOTCH WHISKY. In "Square" Bottles. Price \$11.00 per 1 dozen bottles.

GLENIFFER BLEND, SCOTCH WHISKY. Moderately priced, good quality. Price \$8.25 per 1 dozen bottles.

INVALIDS' PORT. This Wine is old, soft, and delicate. We strongly recommend it. Analyzed and Certified by Professor Cassell. Price \$21.00 per 1 dozen bottles.

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LA TORRE. Price \$17.25 per 1 dozen bottles.

WHITE SEAL SHERRY—Popular at the Club. Dry, delicate, and of fine flavour. Price \$21.00 per 1 dozen bottles.

CLARETS. CHATEAU MOUTON. For a good dinner wine we recommend this. Price \$22.75 per 1 dozen bottles.

MAROSE. This is a very attractive Claret, of good bouquet. Price \$17.00 per 1 dozen bottles.

MARGAUX MEDOC. A breakfast Claret. Price \$22.25 per 1 dozen bottles.

LIQUOR. BENEDICTINE D.O.M. Price \$38.50 per 1 dozen bottles.

CUTLER, PALMER & Co. Agents—SIEMSEN & Co., Hongkong.

CUTLER, PALMER & Co. WINE SHIPPERS SINCE 1815. Who have consigned their Brands to our care for over half a century. Apply to C. O. ANDERSON, Manager, JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong. And to their friends in Shanghai.

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CHEESE. PRESERVED BEEF, MUTTON, LAMB, and VEAL. CONCENTRATED SOUPS. BRAND'S BEEF and CHICKEN ESSENCE. CALF'S FOOT JELLY. BEEF TONGUE JELLY. FRUIT JELLIES.

VEGETABLES. JAMS and MARMALADE, DESSERT and TART FRUITS. FIGS, PRUNES, GINGER, MUSCATELS. BEEF SUET, ENGLISH LARD, FLAVOURING ESSENCES. SCOTCH OATMEAL, HOMINY, BUCKWHEAT, RYE, and BARLEY. HERRINGS, MACKERELS, SALMON, MACKERELS, LUSTERS.

BISCUITS. POTTED MEATS, PICKLES, SAUCES, MACCARONI, SPICES. COMBINED CORNED BEEF, SAUSAGE. INFANT'S FOOD—NESTLE'S, MELLIN'S, RIDGE'S, SAVORY, and MOORE'S. CONDENSED MILK, DAIRY MILK.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO. Hongkong, 25th June, 1894. 11823

PIANOS FOR THE PEAK.

W. ROBINSON & Co. have always on hand a number of PIANOS Manufactured for EXETER CLIMATES and Especially Suitable for Use at the PEAK.

For SALE or HIRE on Moderate Terms. Any Instrument may be had on the EASY PAYMENT SYSTEM.

W. ROBINSON & Co. Pianoforte and Music Warehouse, Hongkong. 11818

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

AN INTERIM DIVIDEND at the rate of 4 per Cent. for the Six Months ending 30th June, 1894, will be PAYABLE on the 30th JULY next, on which date DIVIDEND WARRANTS may be obtained on Application at the Company's Office, No. 5, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED on 21st and 23rd inst. By Order of the Board of Directors. J. SHELTON ROOPER, Secretary. Hongkong, 10th July, 1894. 11817

NOTICE

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED.

IN accordance with the Provisions of No. 104 of the Articles of Association the GENERAL MANAGERS have This Day declared an INTERIM DIVIDEND for the Half-Year ending 30th June, 1894, at the RATE OF EIGHT PER CENT. upon the Paid-up Capital.

DIVIDEND WARRANTS PAYABLE at the Hongkong & Shanghai Bank will be issued to Shareholders on SATURDAY, the 25th JULY.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 20th to 23rd inst., both days inclusive.

J. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. General Managers. Hongkong, 10th July, 1894. 11819

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIFTY-SIXTH ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of Shareholders in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 15, Bank Building, Queen's Road Central, on MONDAY, the 30th inst., at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of RECEIVING a REPORT of the Directors, together with a STATEMENT of ACCOUNT, declaring a Dividend, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to 30th inst., inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors. T. ARNOLD, Secretary. Hongkong, 11th July, 1894. 11827

THE NEW BALMORAL GOLD MINING CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the THIRD CALL of 50 Cents per Share, on the Shares issued at One Dollar, has now been MADE in accordance with the Prospectus, and PAID UP on the 4th of August next. Shareholders should be paid to the Undersecretary at No. 9, Praya Central, to whom the Scrip should be sent for endorsement.

By Order of the Board. W. HUTTON POTTS, Secretary. Hongkong, 4th July, 1894. 11294

APOLLINARIS COMPANY, LIMITED.

WE have been appointed Sole Agents for the above Company and beg to offer APOLLINARIS WATER at the following prices:

Per case of 4 doz. quarts \$12.50
Per case of 2 doz. quarts 6.50
Allowance for export 1.50
Per 100 large bottles \$3.60
100 small 1.30
CARLO WENZ & Co. Hongkong, 5th July, 189

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Is distinguished by a White Label in the Red Box, which states that the

IMPROVED CARBO-CAMPHYLENE

is suitable in Water in all proportions

ITS MISCELLANEOUS WATER

combined with its Agreeable and Refreshing Odour, will command it to the Public for General Use, as it is so Eminent, Agreeable, and Perfectly Distasteful for Sick Rooms, Bed-rooms, Bath-rooms, and all no-vary vessels therein. For all purposes it should be diluted freely with Water.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE.

As a SARDONIA in VITING—A little sprinkled on the head, throat or on the neck, kept in front of the nose and mouth in infected rooms or in passing through infected districts is strongly recommended.

FOR WASHING THE FACE AND HANDS—A

temperamental to a gallon of water.

FOR THE BATH—A tablespoonful or less.

For SICK ROOMS AND BED-ROOMS—A teaspoonful or more distributed in water round the room or evaporated by the aid of a lamp.

FOR SINKING OR SPRAY—A wineglassful

to a pail of water.

As a MOUTH WASH—A few drops in a

tumbler of water.

FOR WASHING THINGS—A half spoonful to a

bucket of water.

THE IMPROVED

CARBO-CAMPHYLENE

converts the waste bath water into a valuable

disinfectant while in passing through the down-

spouts and stretch-traps destroys miasma, insects

and germs and removes bad smells. Its use in the

bath has a most beneficial effect on the skin and

greatly reduces the risk of infection.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

Hongkong, 14th July, 1894.

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The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, JULY 18, 1894.

LITTLE actual change has taken place in

the situation in the Korean peninsula during

the past week. The two armies of occupation

have been narrowly watching each other's

movements, and the Chinese Resident

Yuan is credited with having striven to stir

up Korean animosity against the Japanese

in Seoul. The hostility between the two

armies has naturally been ripening in the

interval, fanned by suggestions by the papers

in either country, but so far they have

abstained from firing at each other's

troops. There has been much snarling and showing

of teeth, but on the side of China, there has

been a marked disinclination for coming to

close quarters. The Japanese, on the other

hand, have remained very cool, but very

ready, and they are believed to entertain

complete confidence as to the issue of any

conflict. Many of the Chinese officials are

known to be secret advocates of peace at

any price, and it is broadly suspected that

the Victory in Hanyu-chang would be

unquestionably thankful to be able to agree

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to form a "Peking" in the interior of the
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The P. & O. steamer *Japan* left London for
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The steamer Arratoon departs from Calcutta for this port on the afternoon of the 10th inst.

18th inst.

THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The O. & C. steamer *Belgia*, with the American mail, left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu and Yokohama on the 28th ult.

MERCHANT STEAMERS.

The "Bon" Line steamer *Benlomond*, from Antwerp and London, left Singapore for this port on the 12th inst. and may be expected here on the 18th inst.

The China Mutual steamer *Kasow*, from

The Glasgow and Liverpool, left Singapore for India on the 14th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 19th inst.

The N. G. I. steamer *Bisagno* left Bombay on the 3rd inst., and may be expected here on the 26th inst.

The China Mail steamer *Oanfa*, from Glasgow and Liverpool, passed the Canal on the afternoon of the 11th inst., and may be considered due at Singapore on or about the 25th July.

Northern Pacific steamer *Sikh*, from

PEAK DELIVERY closes at Post Office at 11.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. or in Letter Boxes in the Cars by 12 and 3.30 o'clock Trams. Letter Boxes at Peak will be cleared at 12.30 and 4 p.m.

The Postal Guide for 1894, revised to date will be found in the *Chronicle and Directory*, P. XXI. This is the only authorised complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is corrected to a much later hour than that given below.

HONG KONG PRESS.

For Kobe.—Per *Toyo Maru*, to-day, the 18th inst., at 11.30 A.M.
For Singapore and London.—Per *Benlary*, to-day, the 18th inst., at 2.30 P.M.
For Kobe.—Per *Propontis*, to-day, the 18th inst., at 3.30 P.M.
For Shanghai, Chefoo, and Newchwang.—Per *Nanyang*, to-day, the 16th inst., at 3.36 P.M.
For Shanghai.—Per *Farmosa*, to-day, the 16th inst., at 3.30 P.M.
For Straits and Calcutta.—Per *Wingsang*, to-day, the 16th inst., at 3.30 P.M.

To-morrow, the 19th inst., at 10.30 a.m.—*Per Swatow*, Singapore, and Bangkok.—*Per Amoy*,
Loosah, to-morrow, the 19th inst., at 10.30 a.m.—*Per*
 For Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria, and
 Tacoma.—*Per Tanaka*, to-morrow, the 19th
 inst., at 3.30 p.m.
 For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.—*Per*
Vergna, on Friday, the 20th inst., at 11.30 a.m.—*Per*
 For Singapore.—*Per Agila*, on Friday, the
 20th inst., at 3.30 p.m.
 For Amoy, Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama,
 hama, Victoria, and Vancouver.—*Per Empress*

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.
The British Contract Packet, *Exmouth* will be despatched on **THURSDAY**, the 19th July with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, *via Brindisi*; to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Barmal Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta and Gibraltar.
The usual hours will be observed in closing.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS.
When the Packets leave at Noon.
The following hours will be observed in closing the mail for Europe, &c., by the English & French Packets, when they leave at NOON. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 P.M. the day before.
9.00 A.M.—Posting of Prices Current and Circulars ceases.

(Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in with the country, with the addressee all one way.)
10.00 A.M. - Registry ceases.
10.30 A.M. - Posting of newspapers, books, and patterns ceases.
11.00 A.M. - Mail closes.
LATE LETTERS may be posted (from 11 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 A.M., after which hour they may be sent on foot with the regular late fee.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET.
The United States Mail Packet *Chesapeake* will be despatched on **TUESDAY**, the 24th of **July**, with mails for Japan, San Francisco, United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:—
Noon, Registry ceases.
12.30 P.M., Post Office closes.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.
The French Contract Packet *Sydney* will

despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 25th Jan.
with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe,
and places beyond, via *Marcellus*; to Singapore,
Straits Settlements, Batavia, Borneo, Ceylon,
the Australasian Colonies, Pondicherry-Madras,
Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta,
Gibraltar.
The usual hours will be observed in closing
the Mails, &c.

MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACIFIC
TO THE U.S. PACKET

RAILWAY CO'S
The Canadian Mail Packet *Empress*
Japan will be despatched on WEDNESDAY
the 25th July, with Mails for Shanghai,
Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria, and
Vancouver, &c., which will be closed as follows:-
11.15 A.M. Registry closes.
11.30 A.M. Post Office closes, but correspondence
may be posted on board the Packet -
the Late Fee of 10 cents extra per
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MAIL TABLES.

THE Card published at the *Daily Press* contains:—

English Mails,	homeward and outward
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German	" "
Canadian	" "
Parcel Post	" "
Calendar	for 1894.

That is, more information than is given in any other publication of the kind, and is a most interesting and useful work for all who are interested in the subject.

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